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TO AMEMBASSY CAIRO IMMEDIATE

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FOR THE AMBASSADOR FROM NEA/EGY

E.O. 11652: N/A

TAGS:OVIP EG

SUBJECT:AMERICAN PARTICIPATION IN CENTENARY OF EGYPTIAN  
GEOGRAPHIC SOCIETY DECEMBER 28

1. RICHARD NOLTE, WHO WAS AMBASSADOR DESIGNATE TO EGYPT IN  
1967, REQUESTS YOUR ADVICE AND EMBASSY'S ASSISTANCE IN  
COMMUNICATING WITH EGYPTIAN GEOGRAPHIC SOCIETY, IN SITUA-  
TION DESCRIBED BELOW.

2. NOLTE, AS PRESIDENT OF AMERICAN GEOGRAPHIC SOCIETY,  
HAD ACCEPTED INVITATION TO CENTENARY CELEBRATIONS IN CAIRO  
DECEMBER 28-30. RECENT CABLES FROM SOLEIMAN HUZAYIN,  
PRESIDENT OF EGYPTIAN SOCIETY, MAKE IT EVIDENT THAT  
HUZZAYIN HAS NOT RECEIVED NOLTE'S LETTERS AND CABLES EX-  
PLAINING NOLTE'S TRAVEL DIFFICULTIES.

3. WHAT NEEDS TO BE CONVEYED TO HUZAYIN IS FOLLOWING:  
NOLTE HAS BEEN UNABLE TO GET CONFIRMED AIRLINE RESERVA-  
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TIONS THAT WOULD GET HIM TO CAIRO IN TIME FOR OPENING  
CEREMONIES AT FIVE P.M. DECEMBER 28. NOLTE IS READY TO  
DESIGNATE A PROXY TO REPRESENT AMERICAN SOCIETY AT OPENING  
CEREMONY WHERE, ACCORDING TO HUZAYIN, PRESIDENT SADAT  
WILL PRESIDE AND WHERE COMMEMORATIVE MEDALS WILL BE  
PRESENTED TO FOREIGN SOCIETY REPRESENTATIVES. NOLTE HAS

ALREADY SENT HUZAYIN TEXT OF AMERICAN SOCIETY MESSAGE  
FOR THAT OCCASION WHICH COULD BE READ BY PROXY IF  
DESIRED. NOLTE WILL CABLE THIS TEXT IF NEEDED.

4. NOLTE RESPECTFULLY ASKS WHETHER YOU WOULD BE WILLING  
TO ATTEND OPENING CEREMONY, RECEIVE COMMEMORATIVE MEDAL,  
AND READ IF NECESSARY AMERICAN SOCIETY MESSAGE? IF YOU  
ARE UNABLE OR DISINCLINED TO PERFORM THIS ROLE, NOLTE HAS  
IN MIND TO ASK MALCOLM KERR, SAM BUNKER, OR JOHN WATERBURY  
TO STAND-IN FOR HIM. WOULD APPRECIATE YOUR RESPONSE BY  
IMMEDIATE CABLE TO NEA/EGY.

5. EMBASSY OFFICER WHO TALKS TO HUZAYIN SHOULD INFORM  
HIM THAT NOLTE NOW EXPECTS TO ARRIVE IN CAIRO AFTER CEN-  
TENARY CONFERENCE HAS ENDED, THAT IS, DURING EARLY DAYS  
OF JANUARY. HE WILL CABLE PRECISE ARRIVAL DATA TO  
HUZAYIN LATER.

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